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NAVIGATION BULLETIN NO. 15-89

MISSISSIPPI RIVER
MILE 130.5 AHP (RDB)
SUBAQUEOUS STONE BERMS

Mariners are advised that beginning on approximately 1 August 2015 and continuing until approximately 1 October 2015, a U.S. Government Contractor will be placing subaqueous stone along the Right Descending Bank (RDB) of the Mississippi River at Mile 130.5 Above Head of Passes (AHP).

The Contractor will work 7 days a week, during daylight hours. The equipment used will include spud barges, tender boats and survey boats. A barge fleet will be established in close proximity of the project site. The M/V Oscar Walters and M/V Bill Rodgers will be tending onsite and can be reached on VHF FM marine channels 16 and 67, or contacted at telephone numbers 318-447-6275 (M/V Oscar Walters) and 318-613-7929 (M/V Bill Rodgers).

Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made.

The point of contact with the New Orleans District is Allen Crawford at 337-291-3001 (office), or 337-496-4712 (cell).



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